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25 January 1965

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Attached DIA prototype, etc. via OCI

In view of the potential importance of this, I think it would be well if you would write a memo for the record of what came out of your conversation with [REDACTED]. In it you can note that on 21 January 25X1A9a I talked with [REDACTED] of Liaison. Aside from the possibility 25X1A9a that OBI might have been dealt in by the DIA committee members (which we were not, although I opened the door to [REDACTED] who FOIAb3d presumably must have taken the position that this was a DIA family matter and never provided us with any details in advance or subsequently), 25X1A9a [REDACTED] said:

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About 0830 of the morning the conference began Maples called him from the Liaison Office at Arlington Hall, told him that the conference was beginning in a half hour or so, and that perhaps CIA would be interested in having some appropriate people attend. G took the proffered agenda and sped to Langley where he placed it before [REDACTED] on the basis that [REDACTED] was then serving as an 25X1A9a opposite number and contact point for [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] took the material and said he would expedite attendance by CIA people. 25X1A9a Neither G nor fellow liaison people attended any of the sessions or knew what CIA people were in attendance, and did not see any of the DIA material or internal CIA memos until now. I emphasized 25X1A9a to [REDACTED] that this demonstrated the value of relaying this information to such an obviously interested point as OBI, regardless of what other arrangements might seem to have been undertaken.

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